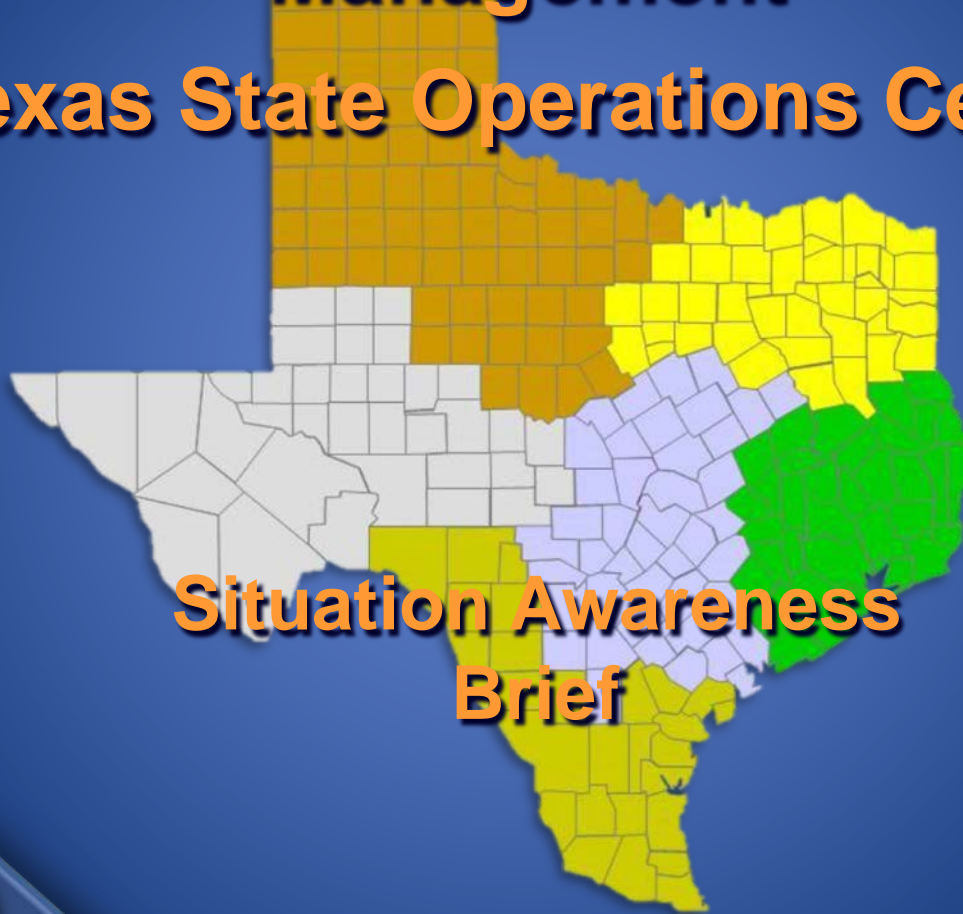


Texas Department of Public Safety Texas Division of Emergency Management

Texas State Operations Center



Situation Awareness Brief



Friday, March 16th 2018
As of 0900 CST

Incidents Reported to the State Operations Center (last 24 hours)

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| 03/15/18 | Initial Report of an Industrial Fire with Road Closure (US 171) and Evacuation Due to HazMat Release | Hood County | N |
| 03/15/18 | Update Report #1 of an Industrial Fire with Road Closure (US 171) and Evacuation Due to HazMat Release | Hood County | N |
| 03/15/18 | Preliminary Report of an Earthquake (M3.3)- Western Texas | Reeves County | Y |
| 03/15/18 | Initial Report of the 152 Fire | Shackelford County | N |
| 03/15/18 | Final Report of a Gas Well Leak, Evacuation, and Road Closures | Washington County | Y |
| 03/15/18 | Initial Report of the Limb Pile Fire | Hutchinson County | N |
| 03/15/18 | Update Report #1 of the 152 Fire | Shackelford County | N |
| 03/15/18 | AMBER Alert Network Discontinuation for the San Antonio Police Department | San Antonio/Bexar County | Y |

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| 03/15/18 | Initial Report of a Wildfire | Lehman/Cochran County | N |
| 03/15/18 | Final Report of an Industrial Fire with Road Closure (US 171) and Evacuation Due to HazMat Release | Hood County | Y |
| 03/15/18 | Initial Report of the Gravel Pit Wildfire | Potter County | N |
| 03/15/18 | Initial Report of a Wildfire | Randall County | N |
| 03/15/18 | Initial Report of the Fate Fire | Rockwall County | N |
| 03/15/18 | Initial Report of a Wildfire | Hartley County | N |
| 03/15/18 | Update Report #1 to the Begs Fire | Cochran County | N |
| 03/15/18 | Update Report #1 to the 1062 Fire | Randall County | N |
| 03/15/18 | Update Report #2 to the Begs Fire | Cochran County | N |
| 03/15/18 | Update Report #1 of the Gravel Pit Wildfire | Potter County | N |
| 03/15/18 | Initial Report of the 4840 Fire | Wise County | N |
| 03/15/18 | Final Report to the Begs Fire | Cochran County | Y |

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| 03/15/18 | Update Report #1 of a Wildfire | Hartley County | N |
| 03/15/18 | Final Report of the 152 Fire | Shackelford County | Y |
| 03/15/18 | Final Report of the Bowie Fire | Brown County | Y |
| 03/15/18 | Final Report of the Fate Fire | Rockwall County | Y |
| 03/16/18 | Updated Report #2 of the County Line Fire | Hartley County | N |
| 03/16/18 | Final Report to the 1062 Fire | Randall County | Y |
| 03/16/18 | Updated Report #2 of the Gravel Pit Wildfire | Potter County | N |

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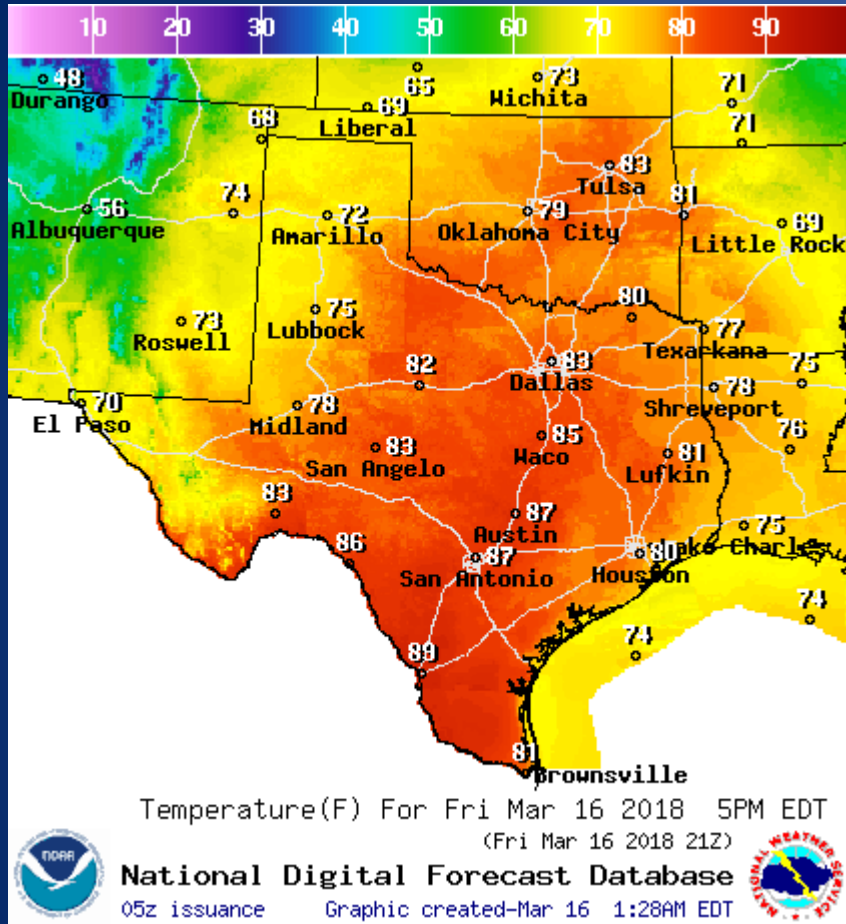
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| 03/15/18 | NWS El Paso- Weather Hazards Outlook for Thursday |
| 03/15/18 | Statewide Pre-Planned Events List for March 15, 2018 |
| 03/15/18 | Statewide Pre-Planned Events Schedule and Map of Venues of 30,000 and Above Near Railroads for Week of 15 March 2018 |
| 03/15/18 | NWS Fort Worth- UPDATE: A Few Strong To Severe Storms Possible This Weekend |
| 03/15/18 | NWS Lake Charles: Weekly Weather Update: 230 pm Thu |
| 03/15/18 | Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) "Notice of Intent" Information |
| 03/15/18 | NWS Shreveport Severe Weather possible during the day Friday |
| 03/15/18 | NWS Austin/San Antonio Probabilistic Hydrologic Outlook for Pecos River Basin in South Central Texas |
| 03/15/18 | NWS Austin/San Antonio Probabilistic Hydrologic Outlook for Nueces River Basin in South Central Texas |
| 03/15/18 | NWS Austin/San Antonio Probabilistic Hydrologic Outlook for Brazos River Basin in South Central Texas |
| 03/15/18 | NWS Austin/San Antonio Probabilistic Hydrologic Outlook for Guadalupe River Basin in South Central Texas |

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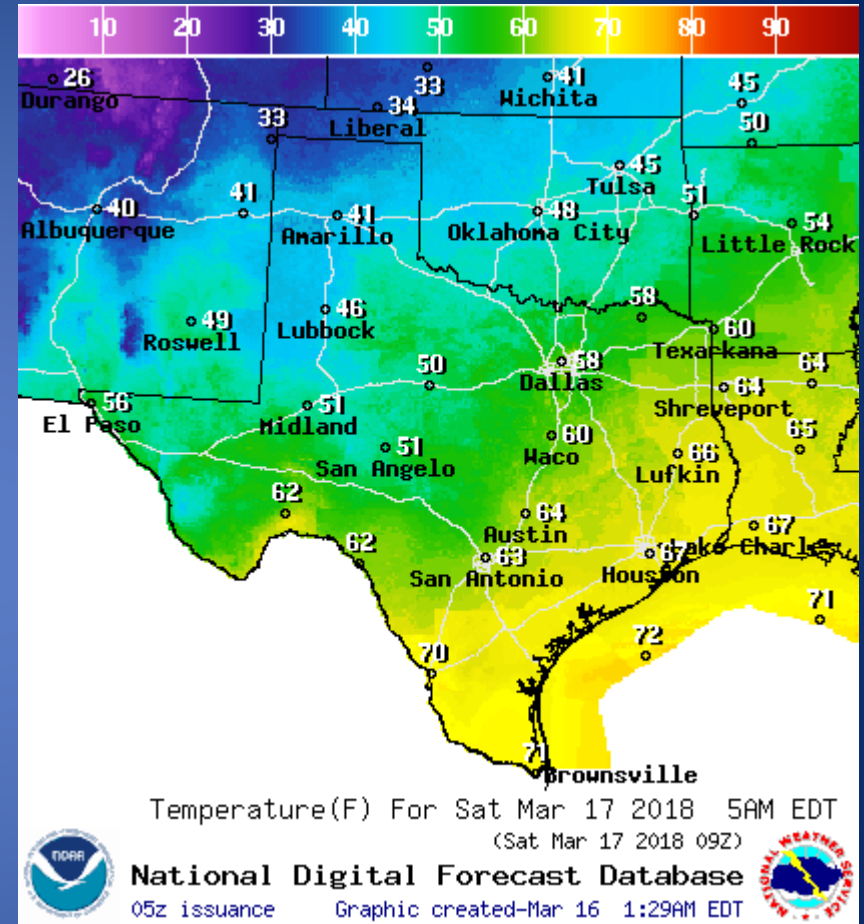
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| 03/15/18 | NWS Austin/San Antonio Probabilistic Hydrologic Outlook for San Antonio River Basin in South Central Texas |
| 03/15/18 | Preliminary Report of an Earthquake (M3.3)- Western Texas Affecting Reeves County 031518 |
| 03/16/18 | NWS Amarillo Update to Sunday's Fire Weather Threat |
| 03/16/18 | FEMA R6 Daily Situation Awareness Brief |
| 03/16/18 | Daily NWS Threat Brief for Friday, March 16, 2018 for FEMA Region |

Weather Forecast

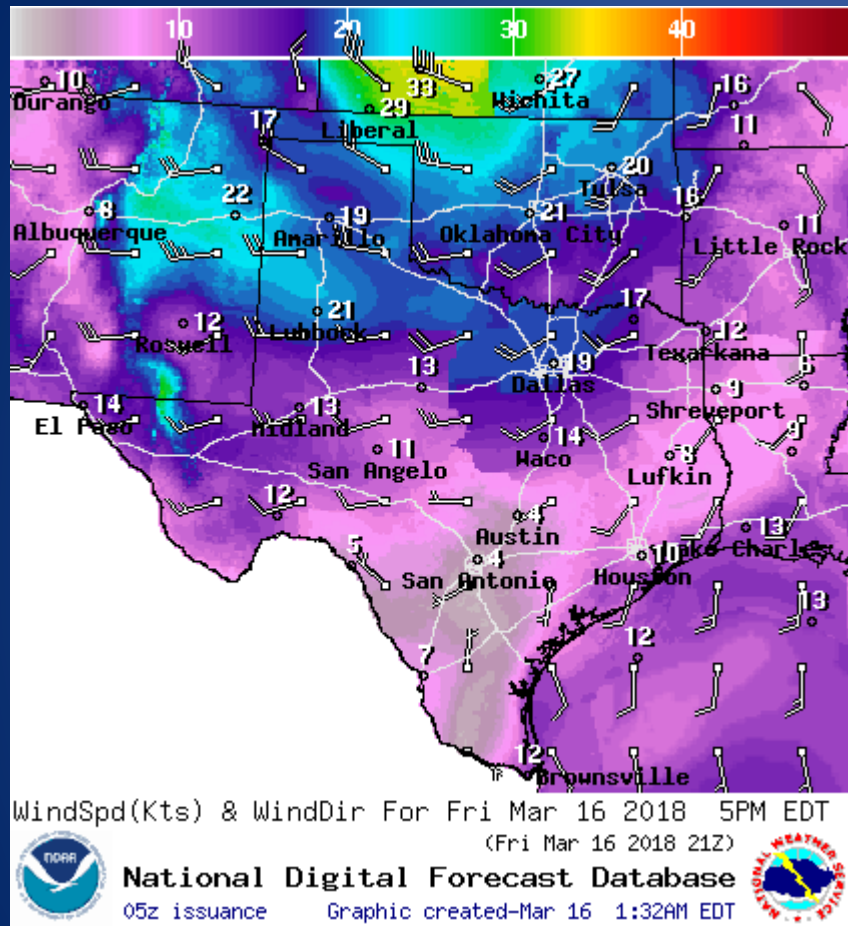


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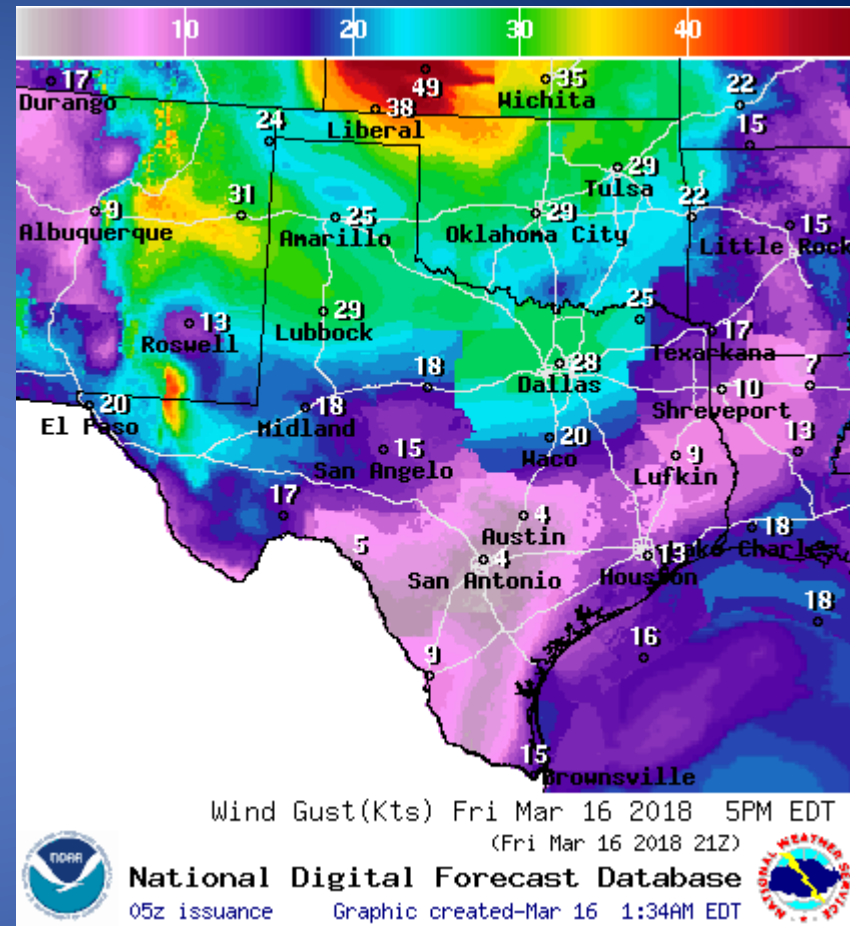


Lows

Weather Forecast



Wind Speeds



Gusts

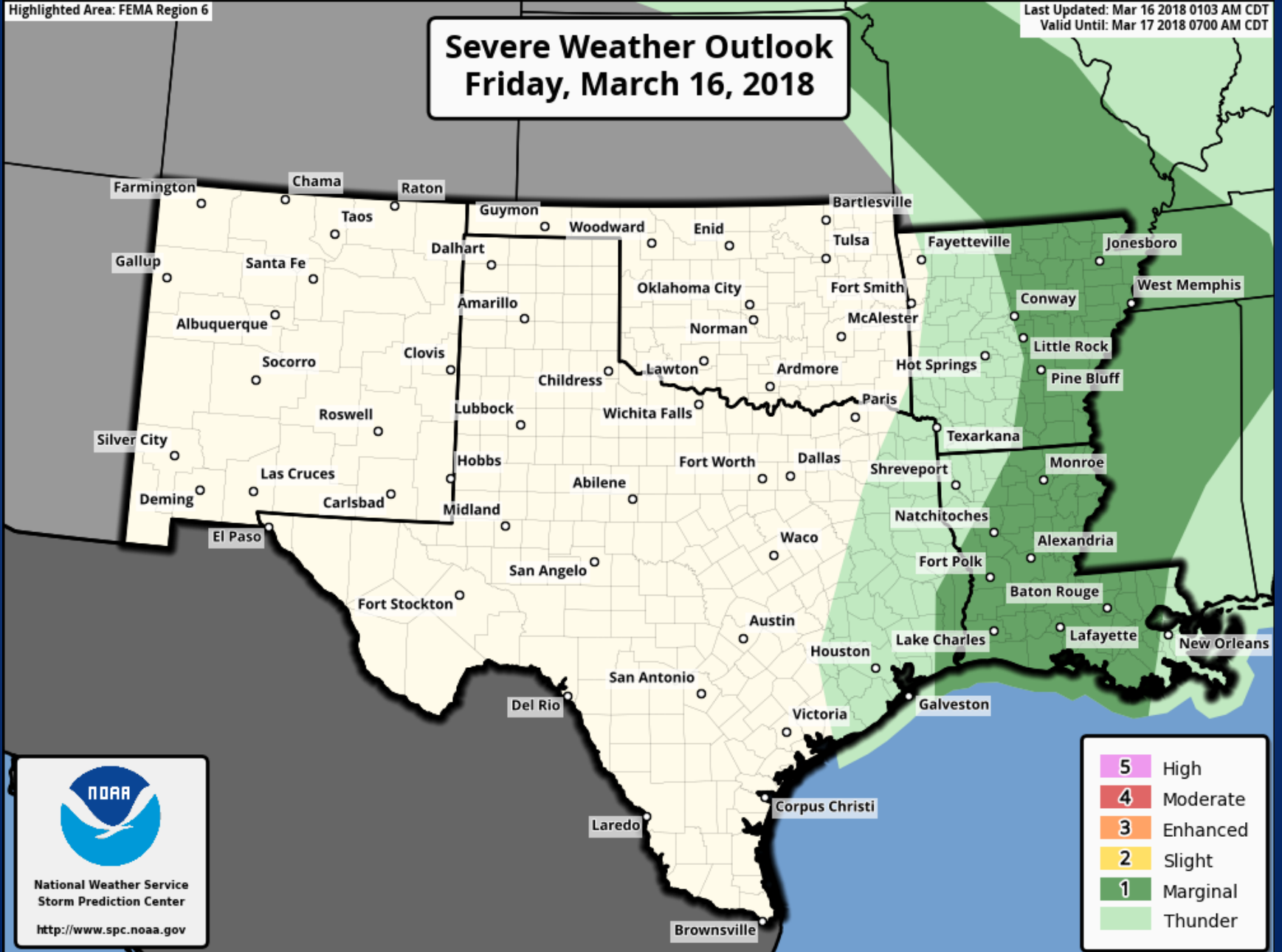
Hazardous Weather

Highlighted Area: FEMA Region 6

Last Updated: Mar 16 2018 0103 AM CDT
Valid Until: Mar 17 2018 0700 AM CDT

Severe Weather Outlook

Friday, March 16, 2018

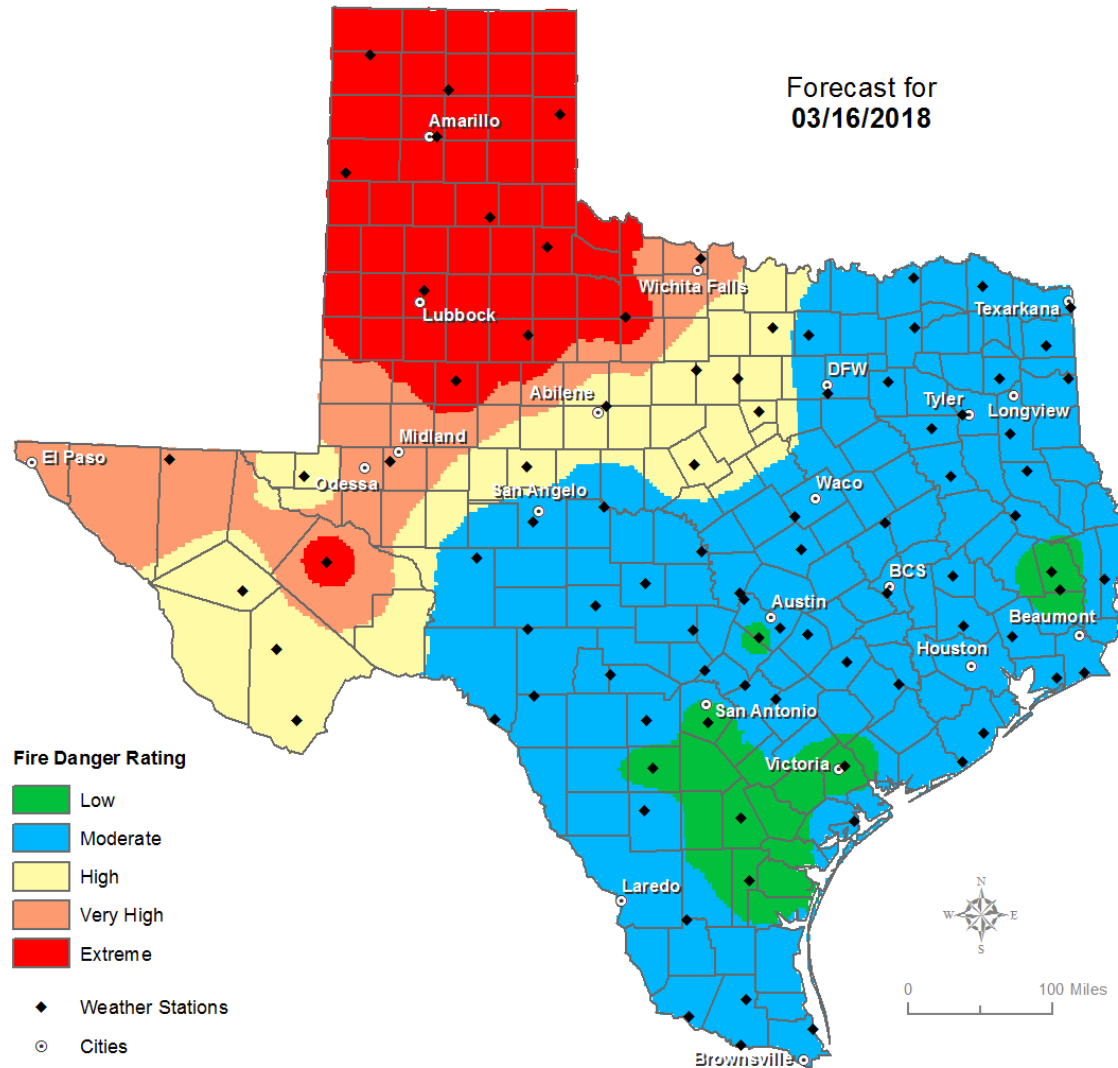


Weather Warning/Advisories Issued

| DATE | WARNING TYPE | LOCATION |
|----------|-------------------------------------|---|
| 03/15/18 | Flood Warning Continues | Sabine River near Deweyville affecting Newton and Orange Counties; South Sulphur River near Cooper affecting Delta and Hopkins Counties |
| 03/15/18 | Flood Warning Extended | Trinity River near Moss Bluff affecting Chambers and Liberty County |
| 03/15/18 | High Wind Warning Remains in Effect | Guadalupe Mountains affect Culberson County |

Fire Danger Forecast

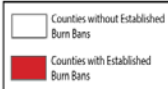
Forecast Fire Danger



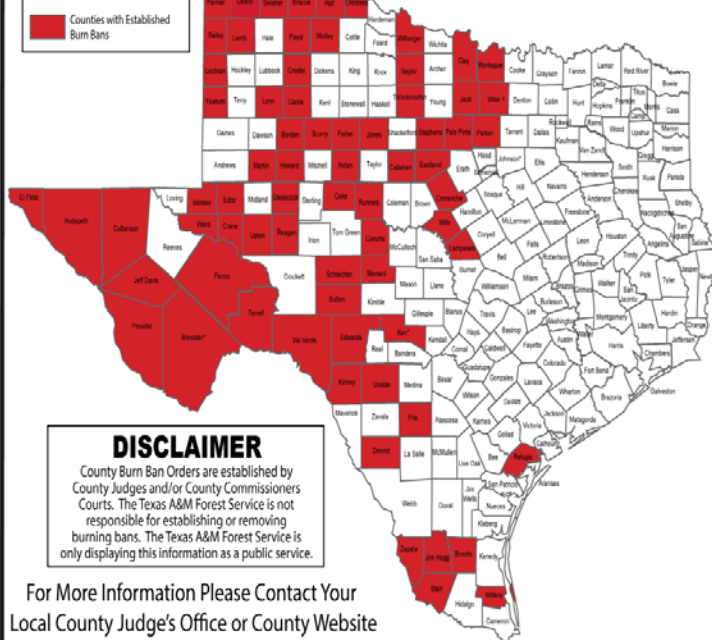
Burn Bans and KBDI INDEX

OUTDOOR BURN BANS

March 16, 2018



Email updates to:
burnban@tfs.tamu.edu



DISCLAIMER

County Burn Ban Orders are established by County Judges and/or County Commissioners Courts. The Texas A&M Forest Service is not responsible for establishing or removing burning bans. The Texas A&M Forest Service is only displaying this information as a public service.

For More Information Please Contact Your
Local County Judge's Office or County Website

RED FLAG WARNINGS: www.weather.gov
Burn Ban RSS feed available at <http://tfsfp.tamu.edu/wildfires/BurnBan.xml>

Counties with Burn Bans: 91

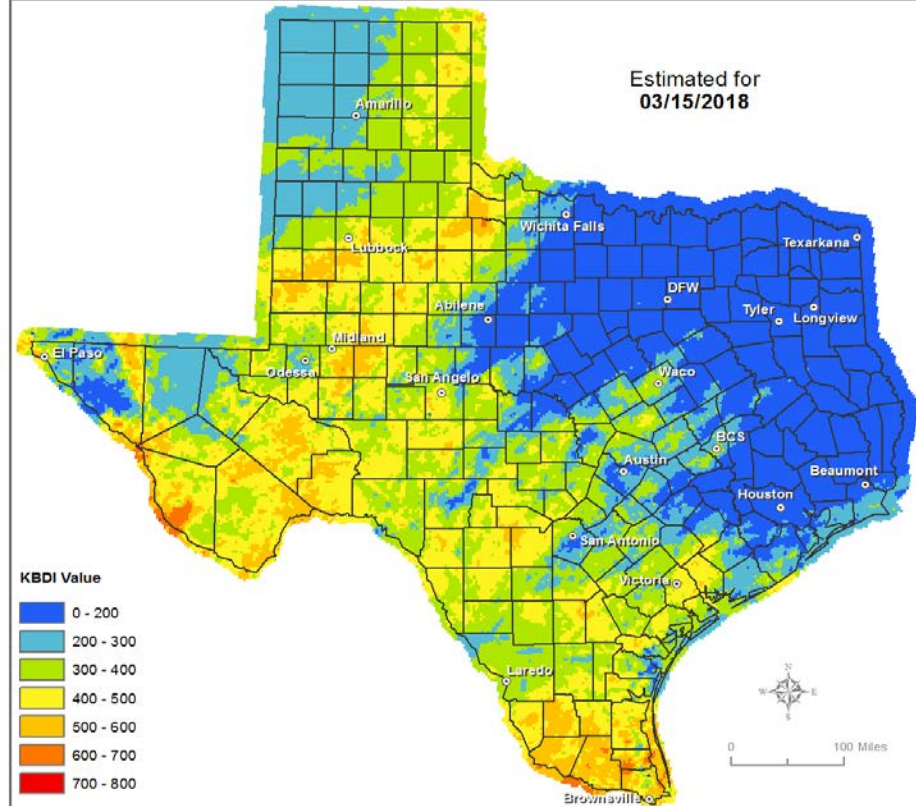
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Coke Randall
Collingsworth Reagan
Concho Refugio
Crane Roberts
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Ector Swisher
Edwards Terrell
Fisher Throckmorton
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Howard Yoakum
Hudspeth Zapata
Hutchinson
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Jeff Davis
Jim Hogg
Jones
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Lamb
Lampasas
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Lynn
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* Burn Ban in effect during a Red Flag Warning day
* Burn Ban in effect check with County for specifics

Keetch-Byram Drought Index

(4 km x 4 km resolution)

Estimated for
03/15/2018



KBDI Value

0 - 200
200 - 300
300 - 400
400 - 500
500 - 600
600 - 700
700 - 800

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Fire Weather Warnings/Watches/Statements

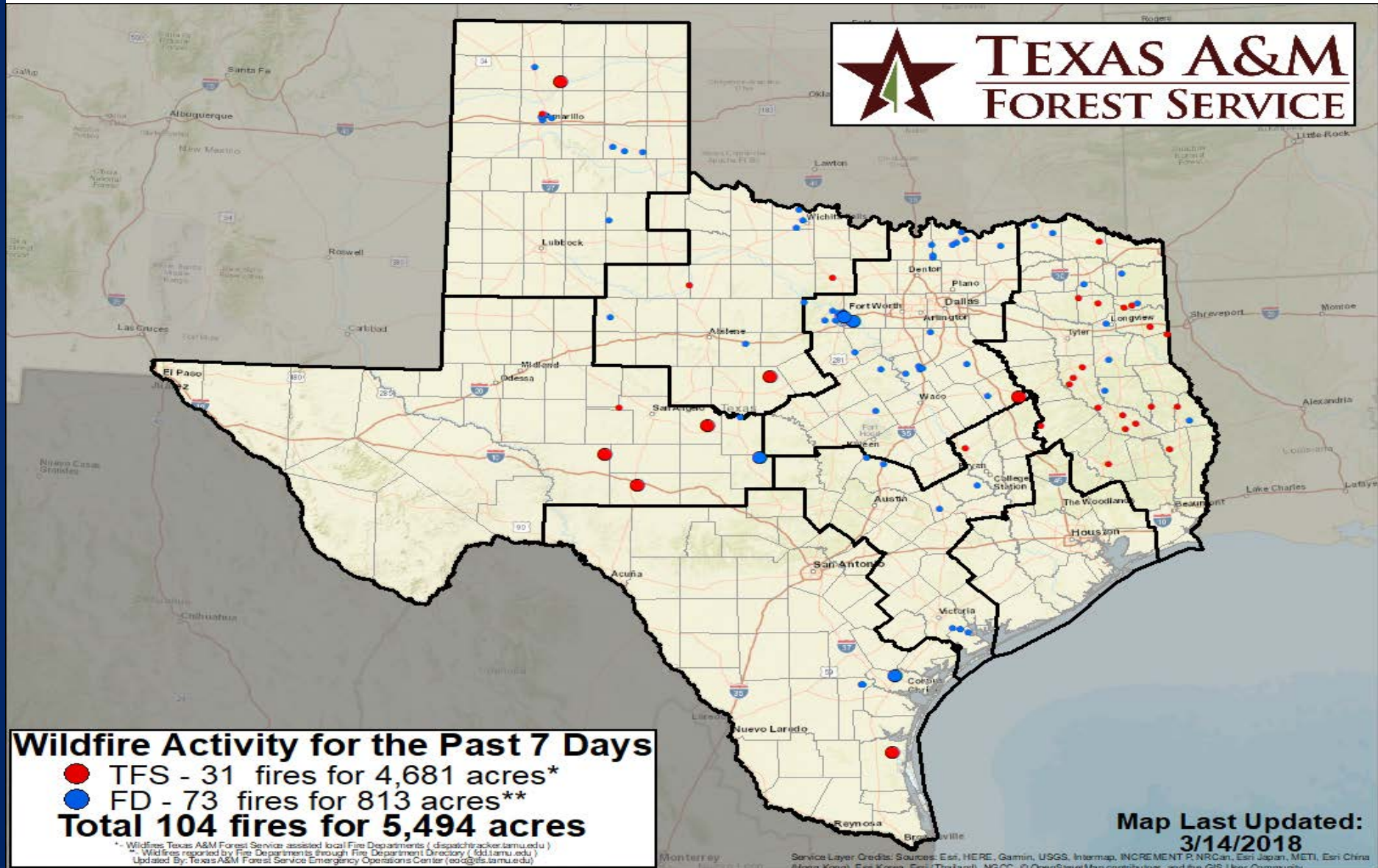
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| 03/15/18 | Fire Weather Watch | Andrews, Big Bend Area, Borden, Crane, Davis/Apache Mountains Area, Dawson, Ector, Gaines, Glasscock, Guadalupe Mountains, Howard, Loving, Marfa Plateau, Martin, Midland, Mitchell, Pecos, Presidio Valley, Reagan, Reeves, Upper Trans Pecos, Scurry, Terrell, Upton, Van Horn and Highway 54 Corridor, Ward and Winkler Counties |
| 03/15/18 | Red Flag Warning | Archer, Bailey, Baylor, Briscoe, Castro, Childress, Clay, Cochran, Cottle, Crosby, Dickens, Floyd, Garza, Hale, Hall, Hockley, Kent, King, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Motley, Parmer, Stonewall, Swisher, Terry, Wichita, Wilbarger and Yoakum Counties |
| 03/16/18 | Fire Danger Statement | Andrews, Borden, Crane, Davis/Apache Mountains Area, Dawson, Ector, Gaines, Glasscock, Guadalupe Mountains, Howard, Loving, Martin, Midland, Mitchell, Pecos, Reagan, Reeves County and Upper Trans , Pecos, Scurry, Upton, Van Horn and Highway 54 Corridor, Ward and Winkler Counties |
| 03/16/18 | Red Flag Warning | Cooke, Eastland, Fisher, Haskell, Jack, Jones, Montague, Palo Pinto, Parker, Shackelford, Stephens, Throckmorton, Wise and Young Counties |

Fire Weather Warnings/Watches/Statements

| DATE | WARNING TYPE | LOCATION |
|----------|-------------------------------|---|
| 03/16/18 | Red Flag Warning Continues | Archer, Armstrong, Bailey, Baylor, Briscoe, Carson, Castro, Childress, Clay, Cochran, Collingsworth, Cottle, Crosby, Dallam, Dickens, Deaf Smith, Donley, Foard, Floyd, Garza, Gray, Hale, Hall, Hansford, Hardeman, Hartley, Hemphill, Hockley, Hutchinson, Kent, King, Knox, Lamb, Lipscomb, Lubbock, Lynn, Moore, Motley, Ochiltree, Oldham, Parmer, Potter, Randall, Roberts, Sherman, Stonewall, Swisher, Terry, Wheeler, Wichita, Wilbarger and Yoakum Counties |

Fire Activity (*Last 24 Hours)

Reports 227 (no change) fires and 24,845 (no change) acres destroyed this year. There are 91 (no change) counties with burn bans. The Keetch-Byram Drought Index list 53 (+1) counties with an average over 400.



Training

| DATES | | TITLE | COURSE | LOCATION |
|----------|----------|--|--------|--------------|
| 01/11/18 | 03/29/18 | Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Course | G-317 | Yorktown |
| 03/09/18 | 03/17/18 | Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Course | G-317 | Killeen |
| 03/12/18 | 03/16/18 | NFPA 472 HazMat Technician - Pro-Board Certification | H-501 | St. Paris |
| 03/13/18 | 03/16/18 | Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Course | G-317 | Denton |
| 03/13/18 | 04/10/18 | Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Course | G-317 | Stephenville |

Statewide Significant Events

| DATE(S) | | LOCATION | EVENT |
|----------|----------|--------------------|---|
| 03/02/18 | 03/24/18 | South Padre Island | Spring Break – SPI |
| 03/08/18 | 03/17/18 | Mercedes | Rio Grande Valley Livestock Show |
| 03/09/18 | 03/17/18 | South Padre Island | City of South Padre Island Spring Break “Texas Week” |
| 03/09/18 | 03/18/18 | Austin | SXSW |
| 03/12/18 | 03/26/18 | Austin | Star of Texas Rodeo |